

PARIS, January 18.

Every thing concurs to render it probable, that we shall soon be able to announce the accession of his Imperial Highness Prince Joseph, brother of the Emperor, to the throne of Lombardy—[late the Cisalpine Republic.] The Emperor's journey to Italy will be connected with the new monarchy; and it is said his Holiness will on his return to Rome, perform the coronation of the new King of Lombardy.

The arrangements for a new organization of the Kingdom of Etruria, are not yet ripe for execution. A division of the grenadiers and chasseurs of the Imperial Body Guards has marched to Lyons, from whence they proceed to Milan; while a detachment from the corps of Mamelukes is already gone.

There are now in this city, deputies from the Italian (Cisalpine) Republic, with instructions to offer the crown to Bonaparte, as King of Lombardy.

LONDON, Feb. 6.

Bonaparte is on the point of again crossing the Alps; and to make another visit to Italy. Let Austria beware! She neglected this caution before the battle of Marengo, and the lost Italy. Bonaparte's Mamelukes and his guards have already left Paris, and are immediately to be followed by his Imperial Majesty. The elevation of his brother Joseph to the throne of Lombardy, which has been offered by a deputation from the Italian Republic, is alleged to be the sole cause of his journey—it is only one of the causes.—For some time past troops have been filing off from the Eastern and Southern parts of France to Italy;—it is even said, that the Italian detachments which formed part of the encampments at Boulogne and along the Western coast of France, have broken up, and returned to Italy, under the pretence that the cold weather was injurious to troops used to a warmer climate. The increase of the French troops in Italy, and the position they took along the Adriatic shore, and on the Neapolitan frontier, was supposed to be with a view of occupying Naples, and of defeating any attempts that might be made by the Russian troops in Corfu.—Whether Austria saw that so large a force could not be required to defeat the designs which the Russians in Corfu might entertain, or to overrun and occupy the whole kingdom of Naples, we know not, but she began to form a cordon upon her frontier from the Tyrol to Venice. She has alleged the epidemic distemper in Tuscany as the cause of this cordon—a pretence which does not deceive Bonaparte, who certainly perceives that so large a force can only be for the purpose of observation.—He has endeavored to quiet her apprehensions by an express condition that the new king of Lombardy shall renounce all claim to the succession to the imperial crown of France, and that the titles of emperor of France and king of Lombardy, shall never be united to the same person. But these assurances have not produced the effect of removing the apprehensions of Austria, or of inducing her to withdraw her cordon; she has recently increased it. Hence the altercation at the levee between Bonaparte and Count Cobenzel, to whom the former spoke in the language of insult and defiance.

The aggrandisement of his family, an aggrandisement for which they shall be indebted solely to him, is the vast object of his ambition.—To give his family a power and a consequence which none ever possessed before—to be emperor, reigning over dependent kings—Kings bearing his name, and created by himself, is the grand scheme and determination of his mind.—Kings of Italy and of Holland, Switzerland, and of Spain, all stripped from the same tree, and planted in the different soils of Europe by himself.—The Pope is conveniently absent from Rome, and already do we hear it insinuated that his residence may be fixed elsewhere, by the intended changes in Italy. The kingdom of Etruria is sickly, and is hastening to its dissolution.—In this kingdom of Lombardy will be emerged the Republics of Liguria and Lucca, the kingdom of Etruria, and even the territories of the Church. Naples will be the last part of Italy seized and added to it. That such are Bonaparte's gigantic designs, seems to be suspected by Austria, and this is the motive of her having assembled so large a cordon.

We shall not be surprised to find that Bonaparte's object, in passing the Alps, is not to beat his brother on the throne of Lombardy in the

first instance, but to place himself at the head of his army, attack and break the Austrian cordon, which, by being too extended, is in no part very strong; which, not expecting immediate hostilities, has not collected sufficient ammunition, and other necessities, and thus drive the Austrians out of the Venetian territories, and secure the possession of them to France, that is to the kingdom of Lombardy.—Bonaparte sees that war with Austria is inevitable, and his policy is always to strike the first blow.

February 9.

Private letters from Madrid of the 11th ult. mention the receipt of very unpleasant accounts from Mexico:—Some serious troubles had broken out there, and the inhabitants generally are represented as being extremely dissatisfied at the conduct of the present Viceroy. Since the cession of Louisiana to America, the people of Mexico have evinced a strong disposition to a like union with the United States, and the American government is accused of having sent emissaries to foment their existing discontent.

Mungo Park, the celebrated traveller, started from Portsmouth on Friday, in an armed vessel, for Africa, to pursue his researches in the interior of that continent.

BALTIMORE, April 1.

We learn from an authentic source, that our government received official notice, that our trade with the blacks of St. Domingo is absolutely prohibited, and that all neutral vessels bound to or from any port in their possession will be seized, and the crews tried under a military commission and executed. This intelligence may be relied upon. It will soon be in our power to state it more minutely.—United States Gazette.

Mr. Catcott, late Consul of the United States, to the Barbary Powers, has arrived, with his family in this city.

Nat. Intelligencer.

LATE FROM INDIA.

The supercargoes of the Indian men, arrived in town this morning, inform us, that general Lake, had lately obtained several brilliant victories over the Mahrattas. In one of the engagements Gen. Frazer lost his life. About the 15th December, information was received at Calcutta, that the Mahrattas, under Gen. Holkar, were completely surrounded, and that the prowess of the English arms had become so successful as to promise a speedy termination to the war.

The details of these events are given in Calcutta papers, which remain on board these vessels.

In addition to, and corroborative of the above, we have been favored with the following extract of a letter from a gentleman of the first respectability in India, to his friend in this city.

"CALCUTTA, Dec. 14.

"For political matters I refer you to the papers, by which you will find, that we have had some desperate fighting in this Country, but I believe we have now got the better of all the native powers, who at one time were about to combine against us—Generals Lake, Wellesly, and Frazer, have behaved like Heroes and indeed so have all our troops.

"Holkar has given us much trouble, but he has met with such a check, in the last business, that he will never be able to do us much harm. I think we shall soon have a permanent peace, at least inasmuch as we shall have nothing to apprehend from the native powers, who now they are got under will be kept from rising again in any force.

"Marquis Wellesly have proved himself a clever fellow, in every sense of the word.—Had he not been our Gov. General, we should probably, have lost this country."

To shew the prosperity and rapid increase of the city of Philadelphia, there has been lately published in the papers of that city, an enumeration of the buildings for the last three years; by which it appears, that in the year 1802 there were 464 houses erected; in 1803 385, and in 1804 273, nearly all of brick.—During the same years, there were erected six buildings for worship; and a number of ware-houses, not included in the statement.

NOTICE

Is hereby given, that the different classes (which are taught in the Transylvania University) will be opened for the summer session, on the first Monday of May.—The students are requested to be punctual in attending at the very commencement of the session.

January 20, 1805.

TAKEN up by Richard Haynie, in Clarke County, on 20th.

A Dark Bay Mare.

About fourteen hands high, with a small star in her forehead, no brands perceptible—appraised at five pounds ten shillings, and allowed to be eighteen years old. Appraised and posted before me

Samuel McKee Esquire.

JOHN DOWNING;

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the public in general, that he continues to keep a house of ENTERTAINMENT,

in that commodious frame house, on Main Street, opposite the Court house, at the sign of

THE BUFFALO;

where he is prepared to accommodate Travellers, and others who may please to call on him, in the best manner. He is well provided with a variety of the best liquors; his Bedding and other accommodations will be furnished equal to any in the Western Country. His Stable is well supplied with Hay, Oats, and Corn, and his Officer particularly attentive, and careful. Those who are so obliging as to call on him, may rest assured that they shall receive the greatest attention, and every exertion will be made to make their situation agreeable. Private parties may be accommodated with a room undisturbed by the bustle of a tavern.

Lexington, April 29.

RAN AWAY, from the subscriber, on Monday, the 21st of this instant, [April] a

Negro Fellow, named MOSES, he is about 20 years of age, well made, and remarkable likely, of a yellow complexion, about 5 feet 8 or 10 inches high, and has some scars on his head; very artful, and may perhaps change his apparel and name—but had on when he went away, a pair of leather or linsey breeches, a crimsoned cloth coat, and a white linsey one over it—also took with him another suit of neat cotton cloaths, striped with yellow and blue, and a new wool hat. He has a full face, and is fond of spiritous liquors. I will give Ten Dollars to any person who will apprehend and secure said fellow in any jail, so that I get him again, in this state, and it brought home, I will pay all reasonable charges—and if taken up out of this state, I will give Twenty Dollars, and pay all reasonable charges if brought home, to

Jecobiah Singleton, Woodford county, Kentucky.

THE POOR FARMER,

No. 6.

To FELIX GRUNDY Esquire.

LINCOLN COUNTY, April, 1805.

"Vaulting ambition doth o'erleap itself, And falls where it would mount."

"A good cause has every thing to fear from ignorance and wickedness, but nothing from knowledge and virtue."

SIR,

THE more I look into your late publication, and scrutinize the motives that must have dictated it, the more clearly do I perceive no kind of palliation for the charges that have been adduced against you; no subterfuge to protect you from the indignation of the public. On the contrary, I can discover nothing but a continued series of premeditated deception, wickedly calculated to mislead a generous people, whose unfuspicious temper and patient endurance, have bestowed on you more confidence than you ever merited.

Men, Sir, who set out wrong in the pursuit of an object, never end right. This has been Mr. Grundy's great fault. Conducted by a delusory ambition, far from the flowery paths of virtue, he finds himself surrounded by a wilderness of difficulties, whilst he wants the clue of Theseus, to get him out of the dilemma. To this cause are we to ascribe your address, without the sanction of a name, and the numerous misrepresentations which stamp its physiognomy, with a cold and callous indifference to truth. You have avoided the enunciation of the one, to escape the severity of direct criticism, and resorted to the most wretched and untenable logic in the other, to impose upon an enlightened public, for whom you ought to have had more respect. But Mr. Grundy is like every other unhappy being, tumbling from a towering eminence, into the abyss below him. Confused, desperate and undone, he catches at a straw, and throws himself upon the kindly aid of a feather.

If such be the disastrous history of Mr. Grundy's political career, when the season of youth, like the spring, usually unfolds the fruits of a guileless heart and generous temper, what a spectacle of moral degeneracy are we to behold, when old age shall have dried up the fountains of liberal sentiment and feeling. Tantalized by the recollection of having lighted the overtures of fortune, and the advantages of native talents, and corroded by an ardent ambition, which ohly expires with the extinction of life, a period at which most men are wont to get a holiday of repose, will be to him a season of painful regret and mental vacuity. The barren wild shall produce no flowers, of consolation, to allure the senses from the gloomy remembrance of a youth of folly and wickedness.

But, enough. I do not possess a sanguinary or unchristian temper.

I wish Mr. Grundy more virtue, a conciliating repentance, and a better fate. The voice of the people, however, demands a scrupulous attention to justice, in all controversies, in which their happiness is involved. I shall, therefore, pursue your late address with such a commentary, as this great claim requires. If in the course of this development, I do not convict you before the public, of the most wretched and degrading dissimulation that ever was attempted on the people, I shall willingly acknowledge in the presence of the world, that you have suffered unmerited persecution from my pen.

Since my last letter, reflection and enquiry, have furnished me with additional means of bringing your system of imposition completely before the public. The more I look into that system, the worse it appears; and I sometimes doubt in my mind, whether Mr. Grundy can be more defective in the qualities of the head or the heart. The result of the enquiry, however, is, that he is very deficient in both. If, on the one hand we view him tracing out a series of puerile objections, on a subject that he does not comprehend, and rendering himself liable to the animadversions of the most common intellect for his blunders; he puts one in mind of the lubberly idiot, not able to keep himself out of harm's way. If on the other, we see him sedulously engaged in mingling the draught of delusion for the people, strained from the ingredients of malice and hypocrisy, under the sanctity of a pretended patriotism, the world can never assign to Mr. Grundy that moral excellence of the heart, which amidst all the defects of the understanding, composes the true dignity and worth of human nature.

I have heretofore, for the sake of exhibiting your arguments as untenable upon every principle of right reason, considered them as objections to the Bank, and not to the Insurance Company. But if we look at the act of incorporation, and contemplate it as relative alone to an Insurance Company, it will be found that every deduction you have been pleased to make from the constitution and bill of rights, has nothing whatever to do with the Bank, or Banking systems. The Bank is one thing, and the Insurance Company another. The act of incorporation relates to the last, and not to the first; but Mr. Grundy has made the first an object of his objection, and very sagaciously calls in the aid of a law to bear him out, which relates to the last. An ignorant Methodist preacher, would have adhered better to his text.

If this, Sir, be your mode of reasoning, I confess it has made no impression on my mind; because it wants the constituent principles of every kind of logic, except Mr. Grundy's logic, to wit, plain truth and fair deduction. Away then with your "impartial and awakening enquiry." Instead of impartiality, every line of your address is stamped with the image of deception and personal motive; and in place of arousing the people to a clear and correct view of the subject, you attempt to leave them enveloped in the night of error, where you are willing they should repose, whilst the hero of the plot acts his own part, behind the curtain, in his own way.

The privileges, Sir, of which you complain, relate, by law, to the Insurance Company, and not to the Bank. The summary mode of recovering debts, and the clause that prohibits the establishment of a similar Company, are all relative to the institution in its actual capacity of an Insurance Company. Point out any one clause in the act of incorporation, that inhibits the erection of Banking Companies in this country, if you can. State one single privilege that the law gives to the Lexington Bank, except the privilege of loaning their money at 6 per cent. and the summary mode of recovering debts. The first, Sir, will be a matter of difficulty, and if you consider the permission to loan money at 6 per cent. in the light of a privilege, it must be acknowledged, that the Legislature was very kind indeed, very patriotic truly, to grant a favour that every individual already possessed, and which required no kind of Legislative clemency to confirm. With respect to the mode of recovering debts, I have already shewn the expediency of the provision, and that it grew out of a constitutional act of incorporation.

But, Sir, I will again admit for the purpose of detecting your shameful impositions, that the act of incorporation relative to the erection

of other Companies in the State, is really susceptible of the construction you give it. The obnoxious clause seems to be the 25th section of the law. Yet, however applicable your objections may have been to that clause, the force of them certainly ceases, when it was repealed on the 19th of last December, in these express words, "Be it enacted by the General Assembly, that the 25th section of the said recited act, shall be, and is hereby repealed." What a pitiful figure must your boasted "impartiality" now make, in the eyes of the world? The truth is, Sir, that this deception is entirely of a piece with the general tenor of Mr. Grundy's political conduct. He wanted to conjure up something in defence of his character and his principles, "already shaken by enquiry," and the most convenient way to do it was, to place falsehood before him, truth behind him, and himself in the middle. Thus entrenched, he fondly believed that he would be able to elude the vigilance of an insulted people; and by this means to effect a political coup de main. But unfortunately for Mr. Grundy, fate hath ordained, that "the race is not always to the swift nor the battle to the strong." He finds himself attacked when he least expected it; and with the blessing of God the Truth shall triumph over an enemy who has wantonly assailed it, without a justifiable cause.

For the sake, also, of giving this subject a fair standing before the people, I will admit that by the act of incorporation the private property of the stockholder is not liable for any notes which the company may issue. But do not all the dangers consequential upon this Legislative omission vanish by the enactment of the second and third clauses of the amendatory act of the last assembly? These sections state, "That the notes which the said Company shall at any time issue, shall not exceed the debts due to them, the money in their vaults, the property real personal or mixed they own, and their capital stock; that if the President and Directors shall at any time, issue notes to a larger amount than is hereby limited, and any such notes shall not be paid by the said Company, the said President and Directors shall be liable therefor, out of their individual fortunes."

These restrictive clauses must have originated in the patriotic duplicity and misrepresentations which Mr. Grundy exhibited in the Legislature. I believe that they were introduced more from a motive to silence his useless clamour about the Bank, than from either the necessity or propriety of the case. At the time when the law passed, the Company had not issued notes evidential of half their capital; nor have they done it to this very moment. But Mr. Grundy, sedulously averse to every thing that related to the Bank, and stalking on the tip-toe of an extatic anticipation, that pointed to an eminence, which he can never attain, but by fair means, was resolved on making the institution a sacrifice to his capricious ambition. To do this with effect, it was necessary to strike a panic; and under the influence of alarm, to silence the voice of sober deliberation and reason, which in presiding on the question, would have proved his patriotic caution to have been a mere gilded bubble, and himself an impolitor. He represented, I am told, that the Bank had three times of its actual capital in a paper emission. This was the signal of alarm. Mr. Grundy in the mean time kept it alive, so far as intrigue and duplicity would bear him out; and to put an end to the contention, the law was passed in its present shape.

This is a succinct history of the origin of the law which I have quoted above. Yet, notwithstanding he was the most conspicuous hero in the affair, he appears in his address, to have forgotten that such a law ever had existence, or Mr. Grundy's "impartiality" would surely have induced him to exhibit it to the people. But I apprehend it was more convenient to keep it out of sight. If he had made a statement of the statute as it stands, many a cogent argument, much solid reasoning and conclusion, with which he has attempted to enlighten the people, would have been lost in his patriotic efforts to overthrow the Bank.

Before I leave this part of the subject, I shall take the liberty, Sir, of making some comments upon your Legislative consistency. The detail will be somewhat elucidative of the preceding remarks, and shew from unquestionable authority, that an inordinate malice can occasion marks of mental derangement, and

Tuesday, April 30, 1805.

The celebrated, imported and real
bred English turf horse

Royalist,

I snow in high health and spirits, and will stand the ensuing season, under the direction and management of Mr. George Sourbray, Jun. in Lexington, at the same stable he stood at last season. He will be let to mares at the moderate price of thirty dollars the season; to be discharged at any time before the first day of September next by the payment of twenty dollars; forty dollars to insure a foal to be returned if such should not be the case, if the mare remains the property of the person who puts her to horse, with one dollar to the groom for each mare, paid at the stable door. Attested notes for thirty dollars the season and forty for insurance; to be sent with the mare, payable the 1st day of January next.—Extensive pastures under good fence and well watered, is provided, and the greatest attention will be paid to mares sent to the house, but cannot be accountable for accidents or escapes.

ROYALIST is a full blooded racer; he was bred by his royal highness the prince of Wales and sold to Thomas Bullock, Esq. who kept him as a racer until he was purchased by Mr. Abraham Skinner, who imported him in the ship James from England to New-York. He is a beautiful bay, handsomely marked with a star and snip, fifteen hands three inches high, well proportioned, a good mover, fine action, free from all blemishes, and while in England performed equal to any horse of his age, as may be seen by the racing calendars, which are in the possession of Mr. Sourbray, free for the perusal of any gentleman. He has stood several seasons in America, and his colts are at least equal to any horse's, and are allowed by competent judges to bid fair to make excellent racers. A number of them will be seen at his stand during the season.

PERFORMANCES.

IN 1793, at three years old, the first time he started, he won 400 guineas at New-Market, beating Lord Grosvenor's chestnut filly, by Potso's, out of Mariane, and the Duke of Bedford's colt by High-Flyer out of Conegonde. He started for the Craven stakes, and beat Dare-Devil, Agamemnon, Coriander, (who beat Mr. Hoomes's celebrated horse Dragon,) Seagull, Golden Rod, Fort William and six others. The next time he started, he won a subscription plate for fifty pounds each, beating Patriot, Cymbeline, Brimstone, Robin Gray, and seven others.—He also beat the Duke of Bedford's colt by High-Flyer, and the Duke of Norfolk's gray filly by Dungannon, a sweepstakes of 200 guineas each, at four years old—he beat Lord Egremont's aged horse Sea-Gull, a match for two hundred guineas across the flat at New-Market, in 1795.—He beat Don Quixotte, Galico, the Duke of Bedford's Cub, and Mr. Durand's filly, by Salam, for the Craven stakes, and walked over the course at New-Market for 1200 guineas, and no horse dare start against him. He also beat several others of the most capital horses in England, too tedious to enumerate, but may be seen by the racing calendar.

PEDIGREE.

This is to certify, that the bay horse ROYALIST, I have sold to Mr. Abraham Skinner—he was got by Sahram, son of Eclipse: his dam by Herod: his grand dam by Marik; great grand dam by Blank; great great grand dam by Driver; great great great grand dam by Smiling Tom; great great great great grand dam by Oylerfoot; great great great great great grand dam by Commoner; great great great great great great grand dam the Duke of Somerset's Copper Mare.

This is a true Pedigree,
(Signed)

Thomas Bullock.

London, March 31, 1796.

I do certify, that I am informed,

that Royalist has stood as a covering horse in New-Jersey in the neighbourhood of my brother's, who has written to me, that he was considered as the finest horse, and best foal-getter in that country. I have seen several gentlemen of integrity, who spoke very high of him—I also certify, that in the neighbourhood that Royalist has stood, they are in the habit of breeding from the first English turf horses.

Benjamin Stout.

April 9th, 1804.

I do certify, that last season, I was in the neighbourhood that Royalist has stood in for several seasons, and saw some of his colts, which were finer than any others which the same mares had brought from other imported horses, also that I was informed by my father-in-law (who is in the habit of breeding from the finest horses,) that Royalist is the best foal-getter he has ever tried, and made the greatest season of any horse in that country last season.

John Harris.

Woodford city. Mar. 26, 1804.

The Famous and Complete Horse Stirling,

Never beaten but once, and then by accident;

WAS imported from London by JOHN HOOMES Esq. of the Bowling Green, and extraordinary to relate, he won a King's plate at four years old, and another at five. He was considered while running, by Mr. Weatherby, the Author of the racing calendar, and Clerk of the course at New-Market, (as will appear by a letter from that Gentleman,) to be, if not the first, undoubtedly the second horse in England. The celebrated horse Hambletonian, (supposed by some to be his superior, and the first horse then on the British turf,) paid him a forfeit of 500 guineas, on a match over the Beacon course, (four miles, one furlong and one hundred & thirty-eight yards,) for 1000 guineas; Stirling was among the best racers that ever appeared in England; having won eleven races out of twelve, and when beaten, was undoubtedly the best horse that started, as he ran considerably off the course, and even then came in third.

STIRLING is a most beautiful bay horse, and descended from the best stock in England, as will appear from his pedigree below: he is upwards of fifteen hands & a half high, in very high form, extremely gay, with great strength & activity, & is a most capital stallion. Perhaps it may not be amiss to observe, that Stirling's racing was generally four miles, and with the best horses then on the turf: and in order to prove him a horse of great speed, I beg leave to refer the Gentlemen of the turf, to the 6th volume of the Sporting Magazine, page 302 and 303, where speaking of the velocity of the Barb horses, and comparing them with the English horses, the following extract follows in page 303: "It is accordingly said, that the famous running horse Stirling, sometimes ran the first mile (of the New-Market course) in one minute which is at the rate of 82 feet & a half in a second, an inconceivable swiftness, even supposing it a little exaggerated, as is probable it was: but for further satisfaction, we find it confirmed by Dr. Maty. If such a velocity had continued some seconds, it might have been fairly pronounced, that the horse went swifter than the wind, it being very seldom that the most violent wind makes such way: the greatest known velocity of a ship at sea, is six marine leagues in an hour, and supposing the ship to take the third of the velocity of the wind which impressed it, the speed of that wind would not amount to 30 feet in one second.—The subscriber does not pretend to say but the above account may be exaggerated, yet from a fair construction of the extract taken from the Sporting Magazine, he concludes that Stirling was selected as the fleetest horse in England, to compare his speed with that of the Barb horses.

test horse in England, to compare his speed with that of the Barb horses.

IN 1794, Stirling then three years old, won a match of 100 guineas each, at Ascot, beating Mr. Grosbey's Victor, (this was the first time he started.) He afterwards won at Egham, the Magna Charta stakes of 20 guineas each, fifteen subscribers, beating with ease Mr. Durand's Play-or-Pay, and three others. In 1795, when the property of E. H. Delme Esq. he won a 50l. plate at New-Market, Duke's course, four miles, beating Lord Strathmore's Horatia, Lord Grosvenor's Lilliput, and Mr. Girdler's Bishop Blaze.—He won the Jockey Club plate for four years old, (Round Course,) four miles, beating the Duke of Grafton's Minion, Lord Clermont's Repeater, and Lord Grosvenor's Capricorn. He received forfeit of 75 guineas from Mr. Rutten's filly at Epfom, and won the King's plate at Ipswich. In 1796, he won at New-Market the second class of the Oatland stakes, beating Mr. Wilton's Caustic, Lord Grosvenor's bay colt by Potfos out of String, Mr. Botts's Totteridge, the Duke of Bedford's Brags, Lord Egremont's Fractious, & Lord Darlington's Alboune. He afterwards ran with the winners of the other two classes, for the main of the Oatlands, which he also won, beating Lord Tichfield's Viret, and Lord Grosvenor's Lilliput. The same year he won the King's plate at Barford, beating Mr. Botts's Totteridge. In 1797, Stirling beat Lord Sackville's Kitear, a match at New-Market, for 300 guineas each: received forfeit from Sir Henry Vane Tempest's Hambletonian, in a match over the Beacon course for 1000 guineas, half forfeit; won a sweepstakes of 100 guineas each, (7 subscribers,) beating Lord Darlington's St. George, and others, Duke's course, (4 miles.) He was lamed before his next engagement, and has not started since.

The above horse will stand the ensuing season (which will commence the 20th inst. and end on the 1st day of August following,) at Lexington, and cover mares at thirty dollars the season, (which may be discharged with twenty dollars paid within the season) with one dollar to the Groom for each mare when put. To insure a mare with foal, fifty dollars; to be returned if such should not be the case, if the mare remains the property of the person who owned her when put to the horse; attested notes for thirty dollars the season, or fifty for an insurance, to be sent with the mares, payable on or before the 15th day of October next.

Good and convenient pasturage is provided for mares coming from a distance gratis. They will be grain fed if required, at a moderate price. Great care and attention will be given to prevent accidents and escapes, but no liability.

Wm. T. Banton.

Lex. March 7th, 1805.

I hereby certify, that Stirling was bred by me, and was got by Volunteer, (one of the best sons of Eclipse) his dam Harriet by Highflyer; his grand dam by Young Cade; his great grand dam Childerkin by Second, out of the dam of Old Snap she was got by Fox, her dam Gipsy by Bay Bolton, grand dam by the Duke of New-Castle's Turk, Byerly Turk, Tafelet, Barb, Place's white Turk, out of a natural Barb mare.

Thomas Stirling.

To cover at Danville the ensuing season,
The celebrated English Stallion,

Spread Eagle.

HE was bred by Sir Frank Stan-dish, Bart. was got by Volunteer, his dam by Highflyer, grand dam by Engineer, out of the dam of Bay Malton and Treasurer: she was got by Cade, out of Lals of the Mill, by Old Traveller—Young Greyhound—Partner—Woodcock—Grofs's Bay Barb—Makeless—Brim-

mer—Son of Dodsworth—Burton Barb Mare.

SPREAD EAGLE in the New-Market Craven Meeting, 1795, being the first time he started, won a sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft. across the flat, (seven subscribers,) beating Mr. Dawson's Diamond, & two others. In the following Meeting, he won the second class of the Prince's stakes of 100gs each, beating Lord Egremont's brother to Calomel, and three others. At Epfom Spring Meeting, same year, he won the Derby stakes of 50gs each, h. ft. (forty-five subscribers,) beating with the greatest ease Caustic, Pelter, Diamond, Viret, &c. &c. after which he was taken very ill with the distemper, and never recovered his form of racing, which 'til then, was allowed to be most capital.

In 1796, he won a sweepstakes of 100gs each, at York, (eight subscribers,) and was second for the great subscription there, beating Sober Robin.

In 1798, at New-Market, he came second for the Craven stakes, when twelve started, beating Druid, Gas, Bennington, &c. &c. and won the King's plate of 100gs, carrying 12st. the Round Course, beating Bennington, and Lord G. H. Cavendish's bay horse by Jupiter.

SPREAD EAGLE and Stirling are brothers from sire, and out of sisters; he is of superior size—bone, blood and beauty, inferior to none; he is a beautiful bay, nearly sixteen hands high; well proved as a race horse; running four mile heats with twelve stone on his back, as appears from the racing calendar in New-Market, London, from the years 1795, to 1798; after which he is there noted, sent to America, to Col. JOHN HOOMES in Virginia, at the Bowling Green, where he (the last season that he made there,) covered two hundred and thirty-four mares, in preference to any other imported horse in that State.

SPREAD EAGLE

Will stand the ensuing season, which will commence the 20th of March, and end on the first of August following, at Mr. Jeremiah Clement's seat, in Danville, and will be let to mares at thirty dollars the season; but may be discharged when the mare is put, by the payment of twenty dollars, or at any time before the first of August; and fifteen dollars the single leap, to be paid as soon as the mare is put; and if she should not stand to the first leap, pay ten dollars more, and be privileged to the season; or forty dollars to insure a mare to be with foal, to be returned if such should not be the case, if the mare remains the property of the person who owned her when put to the horse—with one dollar to the Groom for each mare, to be paid when put to the horse. Attested notes for thirty dollars the season, and forty for the insurance, to be sent with the mares, payable on or before the 20th of December, 1805.

I will furnish good pasture for mares that come a distance gratis, and in addition to the pasture, I have fifteen acres of as good wheat, as is in the State, adjoining the pasture, which I have provided for mares that are left with the horse.—The horse and mares will be under the direction of Mr. E. BAKER, who will give particular attention to the mares left in his care—they may be grain fed, if required by the proprietor, and at his expence, at a moderate price; but not responsible in case of escapes or accidents.

WM. T. BANTON.

March 18th, 1805.

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HARRISON County, sh.

TAKEN up by Francis Gray, living on Gray's run; one BLACK HORSE COLT, with a blaze face and off foot white, one year old past; appraised to 20 dollars.—

LIKEWISE,

One STRAWBERRY ROAN MARE COLT, supposed to be two years old; appraised to 30 dollars.

Saml. M. Millin, J. P.

December 17th, 1804.

Lamp-Lighter,

WILL stand the ensuing season, which will commence the tenth day of March, and end the tenth day of July next, at my farm, on David's fork of Elkhorn, in Fayette county, and may cover mares at the low price of Ten Dollars the season for each mare; but may be discharged by the payment of Eight Dollars, if paid within the season: Twenty Dollars to insure a mare with foal, to be returned if such should not be the case, if the mare remains the property of the person who put her to the horse; Five Dollars the single leap, paid down when the mare is covered; and in every instance eighteen pence to the groom.

LAMP-LIGHTER's figure is generally given up by a number of as good judges as any in this state, to be equal with any horse in it, if not superior, and his blood equal to any horse on the continent. It is all most needless for me to say any thing about his colts, as they can, with every kind of propriety, answer for themselves; it being universally given up, that he is equal to any foal getter in the state, if not superior—There are a number of his colts to be seen in this County and Woodford—There are a number of colts amongst the Lamp-Lighter colts, that was got by three different imported horses, that covered at more than double what the Lamp-Lighter covered at, and it is given up in a general way, that the Lamp-Lighter colts are equal to any of them if not superior—and it is well known, that the best mares went to those high-going horses. If a horse has the name, or only the word imported, it has been the case, or thought, that no further inquiry or questions were necessary; but it is a most undeniable truth, that there are as fine full bred horses that were bred in America, or even in the state of Kentucky, as any that can be brought from England; for if a horse is of good blood and fully thorough bred, what can be asked for more?

LAMP-LIGHTER is a horse completely calculated to get the most elegant saddle horses, as he moves well and has every part of activity.

LAMP-LIGHTER is eight years old, a good bay, fully fifteen hands three inches high; Lamp-lighter was got by the old Union, old Union was got by Shakespeare, his dam by Nonpareil, his grand dam by the imported horse Traveller, his great grand dam was Pocahontas; she was imported by the Honorable William Byrd esq. deceased, of the Arabian. Lamp-lighter's dam was the noted thorough bred running mare Bright Eyes, bred by Col. Fitzhugh of Virginia, and well known to be as thorough a bred mare, as any in England—At six years old she was sold for seventy five thousand weight of neat tobacco, and ask, which was a higher price than any mare was ever known to sell for in that state. Good pasturage gratis, to all mares sent above the distance of twelve miles. All mares sent shall be strictly attended to, but cannot be liable for accidents or escapes.

JOHN ROGERS.

February 25, 1805.

The full blooded horse,

Young Baronet,

WILL stand the ensuing season at Walter Carr's, on Hickman, Fayette county, eight miles from Lexington, on the Tate-creek road, and will be let to mares at fourteen dollars the season, which may be discharge by paying ten dollars cash, any time in the season; seven dollars the single leap, paid at the stable door; twenty dollars to insure a mare with foal, to be paid in hand, the money to be refunded in case the mare is not with foal, provided she remains the property of the person who puts her. The season commencing the 10th of March, ending the 20th July. Good pasture and

attendance to mares coming a distance but will not be liable for accidents or escapes.

N. B. All those persons putting mares to the horse and not proving with foal, shall have the next season gratis, provided the horse remains the property of the same person.

BARONET

IS a thorough bred horse, full fifteen hands three inches high, of a dark bay colour, six years old this spring, was got by the old imported Baronet, who was equal if not superior to any horse ever imported; old Baronet was bred by Sir John Webb, Bart. and got by Vertumnus, son of Eclipse, his dam called Penultima, by Snap, grand dam by Cade, great grand dam by Crab, great great grand dam by Flying Childers, out of a Confederate Filley—she was got by Grey Grantham, her dam by the Duke of Rutland's Black Barb, out of Bright's Roan—Young Baronet's dam was got by the imported Othello, grand dam by the imported Figure, great grand dam by the imported Wild-Dair—her dam together with Wild-Dair was imported by Gov. Delancy—Wild-Dair became so famous, that he was returned to England.

Performance.

Old Baronet at three years old, won the Catterick sweep-stakes of 90 guineas, beating Tendam, Pay-master, Kinlock, and several others.—The next time he started, won a £50 plate.—The following year beat Windstone a match for 500 guineas, or (2330 dolls.) and won a £50 plate at New-Malton beating Tamerlane, Seducer, Afrish, Hutchiloe and Revis, after which he was sold to his Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.—Baronet when five years old, won the great Oatland stakes of 4000 guineas, (or 19,133 dolls.) when 19 horses started, amongst which were Express, Escape, Precipitate, Buzzard, Chanticleer, &c.

Walter Carr.

Speculator,

WILL stand this season, which has commenced, and will end the 10th August next, at my farm in Clarke county, on the road leading from Lexington to Winchester, and may cover mares at twenty-four dollars the season, which may be discharged by twenty dollars, if paid by the 10th August next; forty dollars to insure a mare with foal, to be returned if such should not be the case, if the mare remains the property of the person who put her to the horse, five Dollars the single leap, to be paid before the horse covers the mare, and one dollar to the groom, in every instance; and should such mares not stand, they may go by the season. Any person putting seven mares, may have one gratis. Mares from a distance shall have good pasturage and well fed with corn, and salted three weeks gratis. The greatest attention shall be paid, but not answerable for accident.

It is useless to insert Speculators Pedigree and performance, as they are well known, and may be seen at the subscriber's house.

HUBBARD TAYLOR.

Clarke county, March 3, 1805.

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Montgomery Circuit Court,

April Term, 1805.

Christopher Irvin Complainant,

AGAINST

Ralph Morgan, & Thomas Swearingen, heir and ex'or. of Thomas Swearingen, dec.

IN CHANCERY.

THE defendant Thomas Swearingen, not having entered his appearance herein agreeable to law and the rules of this Court, and it appearing that he is not an inhabitant of this Commonwealth, On the motion of the complainant by his Counsel, it is ordered, that he do appear here on the third day of our next July Term, and answer the complainant's bill, or that the same will be taken for confessed; and that a copy of this order be published in some authorized paper of Kentucky, according to law.

A Copy. Test: 2m

Micajah Harrison, C. M. C. C.

JOHN A. CAPE,

AS removed his residence from Adair county, to Lexington; at which place, and at the neighbouring courts, he purposed practising as

Counsel & Attorney at Law.

Lexington, April 1, 1805.

Paris, Feb. 4.

CONSERVATIVE SENATE.

The Senate assembled this day in grand costume, under the presidency of his serene highness the arch-chancellor.

His excellency M. Talleyrand, minister of foreign relations, was introduced, and presented the following report.

M. Talleyrand.—The national solemnity of the coronation, that noble and necessary completion of our social institutions, attached to it sentiments too profound and too universal not to occupy the whole attention of all classes of the state; at the near approach of this great internal event, which has just assured forever the destinies of France, in consecrating by the voice of men and heaven all that we had acquired of glory, of greatness, and of independence, the interest of all other events was generally, as if by one common impression, felt to diminish and grow feeble; even the thought of war seemed to vanish from the bosom of a nation who owes so much to its victories.

All is accomplished—the empire is founded—and in re-assuming the cares of the exterior, and recalling genius to the interests of war, the first sentiment of the Emperor has been to elevate himself above all the passions, and to justify the great destiny for which providence reserves him, by shewing himself inaccessible to hatred, to ambition, and revenge.

If there exist men who have conceived the project of combating us with the weapons of crime; who have, as lies in their power, realised that cruel thought, who have hired assassins; and who even at this moment, subsidize our enemies, it is over these very passions that the Emperor has wished to triumph. The more natural and common it is to men to be irritated by personal attacks, and to shew sentiments of resentment, so much the more he has felt that it was the part of a great soul to rise superior to them.

This determination prevails in every instance, but it is far removed from the ordinary rules; and in so singular a case, I must forget for a moment, the principles of courtesy which at any other time would forbid me from offending by encomiums on the sovereign to whom I have the honor of being minister. Here, I explain the steps of a generosity which supposes a forgetfulness of the common laws of prudence, without justifying them; and without intending it, my justifications are eulogiums.

The emperor has made the first advances towards a government which has the guilt of being the aggressor; which has manifested, without motive and without reserve, towards him and towards us, sentiments of an inveterate hatred. To comprehend well this moderation, it will be necessary to retrace the events which are passed, and to follow the march of our august sovereign to the extent of his noble career. Men who have studied his character, have they not acknowledged by the boldness of his conceptions, and the vigorous and constant execution of all his enterprises, a calmness of mind and prudence by which they were tempered, a reserve which prevented all abuse, an effervescence, in short, of justice and of humanity, which tended incessantly to moderate the effects, and cut short the term of necessary violence?

Thus, after a train of advantages obtained upon the borders of the Drave, far from abandoning himself to hopes which the most liberal fortune seemed to hold out for his intoxication, he calculated that it would be more useful to France and her enemies to understand each other. He combated the great allurements of glory with the still greater interests of humanity. He heard the cries of the victims who were speedily to be immolated during the last struggles of an implacable war, and he made overtures of peace.

From this time, with that view of futurity which outruns events, and distinguishes them from the causes by which they are produced, he had seen all the blood which was to flow on the field of Marengo, on that of Hohenlinden; and, regardless of the presages which promised to France and to her brave armies new laurels and new conquests, he listened to the dictates of wisdom and humanity which legalizes glory, but commands sacrifices.

The same principle inspired him, the same magnanimity, which, being called to take the reins of government, he united the title of First Consul to the fame of his generalship, and the powers of his first magistracy to the immense influence of the glory he had acquired. Every where he addressed the words of peace, and he succeeded in making himself heard.—The continent pacified,

there remains yet an enemy to France. On the fifth Ventose, year 3, he proposed peace to the king of England.

The generous conqueror, of the year 5, the First Consul, pacificator of the year 8, were again to be found with the same magnanimous moderation in the august sovereign to whom heaven has entrusted our destinies. The degrees of power, the diversity of situations, change none of those eminent qualities, which might justly be termed virtues of character; and the Emperor owed it to himself to propose peace the third time, to prove that it was not in vain he had used on a solemn occasion these ever-memorable expressions: "Soldier and First Consul, I have had but one thought, as Emperor, I have no other."

In these two years, war is declared, and could not yet be begun. All have been preparations and projects: but the moment being come when their execution were to bring on real events, and give birth to the most terrible hazards, the Emperor has thought it was in the principles of that politic religion, which no doubt draws down upon the thoughts and the efforts of just and generous princes the assistance of heaven, to do every thing in their power to prevent great calamities by making peace.

I am ordered to communicate to you the letter, which in that view of moderation and humanity, his Majesty the Emperor has judged it proper to write to his majesty the King of England.

Letter from the Emperor, to the King of England.

SIR, MY BROTHER,

CALLED to the throne of France by Providence, by the suffrages of the Senate, the people and the army, my first sentiment is the wish of peace. France and England are wearing out their prosperity; they may contend for ages. But their governments, do they fulfil the most sacred of their duties? and so much blood shed unnecessarily, and without any prospect of an end, does it not accule them in their own conscience? I attach no dishonor upon making the first step. I have sufficiently, I think, proved to the world, that I fear not any of the chances of war; it offers nothing of which I ought to be afraid. Peace is the wish of my heart, but war has never been adverse to my glory. I conjure your Majesty not to refuse to yourself the happiness of giving peace to the world; let not this sweet satisfaction be left to your children. For in short, there never existed a fairer opportunity, or a more favorable moment to put an end to all the passions, and to listen only to the sentiment of humanity and of reason. This moment, once lost, what term of duration can be assigned to a war, which all my efforts shall have been unable to bring to a close? Your Majesty has gained more in territory and in riches during the last ten years, than the whole extent of Europe; your nation is at the highest point of prosperity. What is due to expect from war? to coalesce some of the powers of the continent? The continent will remain tranquil. A coalition would only increase the preponderance and continental grandeur of France. To renew the troubles in the interior? The times are no longer the same. To destroy our finances? Finances founded upon a good agriculture can never be destroyed. To deprive France of her colonies? The colonies with France are only a secondary object, and does not your Majesty possess already more than you can maintain? If your Majesty will think seriously, you will perceive that the war is without an object, and without any presumable result. Alas! what a melancholy prospect, to make men fight for the sake of fighting.

The world is large enough for our two nations to live in, and Reason is sufficiently powerful to find out the means of reconciliation, if a suitable disposition to be reconciled exists on both sides. I have meanwhile fulfilled a duty holy and precious to my heart. May your Majesty believe in the sincerity of the sentiments I have just expressed to you, and in my desire of giving you proofs of it.

Paris, 12th Nivose,

year 13, (Jan. 2, 1805.)

Signed,

NEOPOLEAN.

Scott County, Feb.

TAKEN up by James Lemon, living one and a half miles from Georgetown on the road to Cincinnati, A BAY MARE, about six years old, thirteen hands three and a half inches high, no brand perceivable, appraised to thirty five dollars.

A Copy. Teste

Samuel Shepberd, J. P. S. C.